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## CHARGE IOWANS WITH TREASON

Four Men Seized and Other Arrests Expected Shortly.

### MUST CONVERSE IN ENGLISH

Is Orders Issued to Germans By Federal Officers When In Public.

Lowden, Ia.—Four persons, three of them past sixty years, were arrested by Federal officers and charged with treason and resisting the Government. Half a dozen others were questioned and it was announced more arrests were expected. This action followed an outbreak that approached a riot between citizens and pro-Germans.

The prisoners are Albert Schaefer, 66 years old, retired farmer; William Richman, 66, furniture dealer; Ernest Meier, 65, retired farmer, and Carl Gerhl, 36, farmer. All are reputed to be wealthy.

United States Marshall Moore and Deputy Healy arrived here from Cedar Rapids after they had been informed that this town of 700 population was a hotbed of sedition. Richman has a son who enlisted in the army and he is reported to have said that he would rather see the boy dead than bearing arms against Germany. The charges against the other men have not been made public.

**Bitter Feeling.**  
The trouble began early in July and it was said to have been accentuated by the dragging of a German flag behind an automobile in the Fourth of July parade. Feeling between the loyal and pro-German elements has increased since then, fanned by public and private utterances.

Tuesday night the Rev. John Reichert, pastor of the German Evangelical church here, was arrested on a charge of treason. He was questioned in the office of Daniel D. McGilvary, an attorney, and then taken to Cedar Rapids. News of the minister's arrest spread and a crowd gathered before McGilvary's office, threatening to lynch him. A few blows were struck, but cool heads finally prevailed.

**Must Converse in English.**  
The Mayor and marshal of the town and the Sheriff of Cedar county were summoned to conference with the Federal men today.

Mayor Louis Hoeltje protested his loyalty to the United States, but admitted that he had taken no steps toward the arrest of troublemakers. The Germans questioned by Marshall Moore were warned to conduct all public conversations in English.

William Goldsmith was arrested at Clarence, Ia., today, on a charge of treason, after he had been severely beaten by a traveling salesman for his alleged treasonable utterances.

### TRADE COMMISSION TO PROBE FLOUR MILLING

Washington.—The Federal Trade Commission will begin next week a flour mill investigation as a part of its general food inquiry. A corps of investigators under Dr. E. O. Merchant, of the commission, will leave for Minneapolis within a few days. Other agents of the commission will go later to Chicago.

Decision to go into the subject of conference with officials of the food administration i. tnAtheSETAOIN administration. At the request of the food administration the commission will take up soon also the subject of cost and trade conditions in the baking industry.

### CONDEMNED TO DIE: IS IN FIRST DRAFT

Paducah, Ky., Aug. 3.—Lube Martin, negro, condemned to die for the murder of Guthrie Diuguid in Calloway county, was one of the first men drafted in Calloway.

Martin came as his exemption plea the fact that he was condemned to die. The negro's appeal from the sentence now is in the Appellate Court.

Martin is the negro over whose case Judge C. H. Bush's life was threatened by a Murray mob.

## Tabulated Vote of Ohio County, Cast in Primary August 6, 1917—Unofficial.

PRECINCTS	DEMOCRATS										REPUBLICANS									
	Rep.	Co. Judge	Jailer	Rep.	County Judge	County Clerk	Sheriff	Co. Supt.	Jailer	Other	Rep.	County Judge	County Clerk	Sheriff	Co. Supt.	Jailer	Other	Other	Other	Other
East Hartford	8	6	55	20	13	23	30	9	26	46	60	83	19	52	4	8	9	148	48	90
West Hartford	12	65	36	35	6	22	33	6	13	41	50	64	12	44	5	8	7	13	122	32
Beda	9	57	15	63	4	41	17	8	12	43	22	34	9	39	1	7	26	54	13	40
Sulphur Springs	6	45	12	47	5	19	27	5	31	27	25	37	20	36	4	6	13	95	48	28
Magan	3	14	5	16	2	12	3	10	32	7	24	2	22	3	3	29	8	51	58	16
Cromwell	16	8	3	24	2	2	22	1	7	66	34	33	2	42	30	16	2	9	98	4
Coal Springs	7	3	5	8	2	1	5	3	5	14	17	5	7	19	6	5	2	58	22	14
North Rockport	18	15	9	30	1	2	35	19	21	34	31	18	29	5	0	8	74	26	48	16
South Rockport	17	7	4	25	1	3	3	24	5	10	25	21	3	10	4	1	9	30	11	26
Select	3	10	1	13	1	16	1	11	70	8	12	6	49	28	1	5	80	26	52	11
Horse Branch	7	25	9	24	2	9	24	1	15	44	7	31	3	29	5	2	12	8	51	22
Rosine	3	18	8	16	3	10	10	1	40	100	25	56	16	76	3	16	24	11	55	92
East Beaver Dam	16	23	4	37	6	7	19	7	5	50	27	27	8	35	14	8	5	3	95	15
West Beaver Dam	15	23	3	35	2	16	7	14	4	52	29	27	10	38	17	7	11	84	44	36
McHenry	8	10	6	11	2	13	5	14	32	47	39	19	16	5	17	5	10	76	21	69
Centertown	7	21	4	34	2	11	16	7	25	43	27	7	25	9	2	9	46	33	17	65
Smallhouse	1	12	1	13	3	3	9	1	11	3	10	1	4	1	2	18	5	108	62	37
East Fordsville	11	21	8	29	4	28	3	31	52	29	56	13	37	2	2	29	8	95	70	28
West Fordsville	11	41	3	55	1	3	59	2	13	60	39	44	7	33	2	23	2	21	16	14
Wetmore	16	11	1	25	3	17	12	2	11	7	13	1	2	2	2	2	4	42	28	16
Shreve	7	33	9	31	1	12	20	5	13	16	15	19	5	22	2	10	4	21	20	6
Olaton	9	31	9	35	2	12	28	1	13	22	12	26	8	8	3	1	10	10	42	31
Buford	11	21	6	27	6	4	13	6	12	9	8	12	5	7	1	9	10	24	6	12
Bartlett's	7	30	8	32	7	17	12	11	46	17	21	13	48	2	1	10	16	60	49	23
Hefflin	6	25	6	28	1	3	27	2	17	9	8	7	3	26	1	32	5	12	24	9
Cervello	9	3	4	10	1	6	1	7	14	15	8	5	16	5	2	1	19	18	6	20
Point Pleasant	5	3	3	5	1	2	4	2	8	19	14	11	25	1	1	45	3	38	5	25
Narrows	2	35	1	35	1	4	32	1	44	13	5	33	10	7	1	7	5	50	25	14
Ralph	6	18	5	19	1	11	10	6	20	6	10	13	10	1	17	3	38	40	7	6
Prentiss	3	8	5	7	2	7	3	7	19	10	11	3	17	14	1	4	7	12	20	11
Herbert	1	10	3	12	2	10	3	2	4	4	18	3	3	1	1	1	16	8	10	4
Arnold	3	3	1	4	1	7	3	6	9	7	2	73	3	1	8	3	17	58	39	27
Render	1	6	5	2	6	1	6	20	18	13	16	12	2	6	1	5	40	11	31	6
Simmons	4	6	3	8	1	4	5	1	8	31	16	6	14	6	9	29	3	34	5	29

TOTALS.	
J. F. Phillips	260
J. R. Weller	725
S. S. May	258
L. B. Tichenor	813
B. B. Collins	71
Loney Minton	266
Newt. R. Baize	544
J. L. Colyer	193
Dr. Lawlace	421
L. L. Embry	1082
J. C. Hill	727
R. B. Martin	887
R. R. Wedding	270
Mack Cook	925
S. L. Stevens	166
Winson Smith	149
J. A. Bellamy	261
L. H. Condit	386
Claude Blankenship	1998
G. A. Ralph	887
S. A. Bratcher	1190
G. P. Jones	550
E. S. Howard	1327
Mrs. L. S. Mason	1296
J. W. Duvall	439
Charley Johnson	92
M. C. Schroeder	433
C. A. Smith	189
P. M. Brown	160
E. E. Tinsley	249
Worth Tichenor	522
Boston Butler	11
S. A. Lee	127
J. T. Wedding	140
J. W. Perry	179

### CUT ON ARM.

Edwin Mason, of Mr. and Mrs. I. S. Mason, was cut in two places on the left arm Saturday night. It seems John Morton, colored, and wife were having a difficulty, and Mason thinking they were white went to the rescue of the woman and knocked the man down. When Morton came back at Mason he had a knife, and cut him on the arm in two places, inflicting painful but not serious wounds.

Young Mason is a member of the Headquarters Company at Lexington, and plays trombone in the band.

### HARTFORD REPUBLICAN SOLD.

Pursuant to a judgment of the Circuit Court, Master Commissioner Martin sold the Hartford Republican, machinery, presses, furniture, fixtures, notes and accounts at the court house door Monday. The linotype was sold separately and bought by C. M. Crowe as attorney for the Mergenthaler Linotype Co., who had a mortgage on it. The residue of the printer was sold to W. H. Barnes for \$1375.

We understand it will be operated by the present management until the sale is passed upon by the court.

### MARRIAGE LICENSES.

W. F. R. Wilson, Logansport, Ky., to Mamie Hazel Miller, Cromwell. Arthur McDaniel, Rosine, to Marie Craig, Rosine. Ollie Humble, Narrows, R. 1, to Amby Stidman, Narrows. Eli M. Bennett, Hartford, R. 5, to Leatha A. Ward, Hartford, R. 3.

## MOB IN ARMS OPPOSE U. S. DRAFT PLANS

Bands of Negroes, Tenants and Indians Spreading Terror in Oklahoma.

Murkogue, Okla., Aug. 3.—Fighting between draft rioters and officers is going on twenty-five miles north of Ada, according to Under-Sheriff Purvine, of Okmulgee county, who received a report from there late tonight.

Oklahoma City, Okla., Aug. 3.—Groups of men numbering probably 400 in the aggregate, have armed themselves and were gathering in several places in South-Central Oklahoma tonight prepared to resist forcibly their selection as soldiers under the draft law. Discovery by officials late tonight, of the existence of a new band of resisters who are thought to have established a base near Shawnee, a few miles southeast of this city, has increased the anxiety of State officials as to the probability of confining the agitation within the five counties already affected.

A hundred armed men are patrolling the streets of Aalen. Henryetta also is filled with armed citizen-drafts.

At the direction of Gov. Williams, who hesitates to use national guardsmen against the resisters, hundreds of armed civilians have concentrated in Seminole, Hughes, Pontotoc, Okmulgee, Pottawatomie counties and will make an effort tomorrow to arrest the resisters.

**Several Arrests Made.**  
According to late reports to Gov. Williams one of the bands has located near Sasakwa, another is at Holdenville, another at Wekoka and the last heard from had gathered at Rock Crossing on the South Canadian river.

Several arrests have been made of men charged with resisting the draft throughout the affected localities, and one, a Socialist agitator, was arrested at Holdenville, when it was discovered he was carrying a grip filled with ammunition. Sheriffs of the five counties have informed the Governor that the situation is out of their control and State officials await with anxiety the outcome of the attempt being made by civilian posses to arrest the men tomorrow. The bands are composed for the most part of negroes, Indians and farmers, who are tenants on the lands held by the Government in trust for Indians. It has not been determined what influence was behind the movement to resist the draft law.

### MAY START THOROUGHbred Calf Club at EARLY DATE

John Boone, of Echols, and Lon Barnard, of Rockport, have just received from near Chicago a thoroughbred Holstein calf each, and are awfully well pleased with their purchases. Several in that section are in-

terested in the thoroughbred stock proposition, and it is possible that County Agent Browder will organize a calf club for the boys of that section.

We are glad to see our people of Ohio county taking an interest in the raising of fine stock, as we believe in the long run blood will tell.

### RESOURCES OF NATIONAL BANKS MAKE NEW RECORD

Increases \$2,224,000,000 in Year—Deposits Grow Rapidly.

Washington.—Resources of the National Banks at the last call, June 20, reached the highest figures ever recorded controller Williams announced tonight, totalling \$16,151,000,000, or \$2,224,000,000 more than June 30, 1916.

Deposits in National Banks, \$12,769,000,000, increased during the year to the extent of \$1,913,000,000, but fell \$306,000,000 below the figures of May 1, the last previous call. The reduction is primarily due, it is thought, to Liberty Loan financing. Other returns show: Loans and discounts totalling \$8,816,000,000, an increase of \$1,139,000,000 during the year; bills payable and re-discounts, \$371,000,000, an increase of \$303,000,000; United States Bonds held by banks \$905,000,000, an increase of \$174,000,000; specie and legal tenders on hand \$1,482,000,000, an increase of \$28,000,000; bonds and securities other than those of Governments, \$1,843,000,000, increase of \$315,000,000.

Reserves, shown for the last time under the old condition which permitted banks to carry a portion of reserves with other than Federal Reserve Banks totalling \$2,310,000,000, an increase of \$234,000,000, and \$842,000,000 more than minimum requirements.

### PLAN IS ADOPTED TO SAFEGUARD SHIPS FROM SUBMARINES

Washington.—Plans to safeguard the American ships from submarine attack have been worked out by a naval consulting board and a special committee appointed by Major General Goethals, it became known, when W. L. Sanders, chairman of the consulting board, advised the War Relief societies to adopt the system to safeguard their shipments. Details of the plan were not made public. Federal authorities, through the war risk insurance board, now are putting in effect a premium on ships equipped according to the plan.

### WOMEN FLOORWALKERS ARE EMPLOYED IN CHICAGO

Chicago.—Marshall, Field & Company, the biggest dry goods firm in the west, has installed women as floorwalkers. Other big department stores announced their intention of doing likewise. Reports from employers throughout the State show that women will be paid the same wages as men.

Medell McCormick and other big dairy farmers announce their intention of employing milkmaids on their farms.

## ADMINISTRATOR OF THOMAS B. HIGDON

Files Suit For \$20,000 Damages Against I. C. Railway Company.

John T. Higdon, administrator of the estate of Thomas B. Higdon, deceased, a soldier who was killed at Rockport last April, has filed suit in the Ohio Circuit Court against the Illinois Central Railroad Company (Chicago, St. Louis & New Orleans R. R.) for \$20,000 damages for the death of young Higdon, who was a member of Company K, Owensboro.

W. B. Curley, who was engineer of the locomotive that struck the soldier, was also made a defendant in the petition.

In the petition the plaintiff alleges that while engaged in patrolling and protecting the property of said defendants in Ohio county, near Green river and Rockport, Ky., through the negligence of said defendants, the deceased Thomas B. Higdon was run against and upon and was struck with such force and violence that he died then and there as a result thereof, to the damage to the estate of the decedent in the sum of \$20,000.

Young Higdon, with other members of his company, was doing patrol duty along the line of the I. C. and was engaged, it is understood, in giving semaphore signals at the time he met his death. He lived at Kirk, Breckenridge county, and the suit was filed by Haswell & Walls, of Hardinsburg.

### FINE SOY BEAN CROP.

Virgil Elgin has about the finest prospect for a soy bean crop, on his farm, near town, that can be found anywhere in the country. He drilled the beans in rows, and cultivated them with a spring tooth harrow. He says he expects to make between 750 and 1,000 bushels on 35 acres.

District Farm Agent Merriman, who was here last week, said it was the finest prospect he had seen anywhere.

### BIG WHEAT YIELD.

Perhaps the biggest wheat yield in the county this year was that of G. B. Angel. It was grown on the Grundy farm south of town, which Mr. Angel purchased some months ago from J. I. Kimberlin. The crop consisted of 1,500 bushels and was the product of 50 acres. Mr. Angel sold the crop on the local market at \$2 per bushel, or \$3,000.—Lebanon Enterprise.

### ABOUT OHIO COUNTAINS.

Miss May Poole, of Fordsville, has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cass Poole, and other relatives for several days.

T. I. Carrier sold one of his fine bulls to Mr. Foble, of Beaver Dam, delivered there for \$150.—Caneyville News.

## OVER TWO SCORES KILLED IN MINE

31 Dead Bodies Recovered And 15 Still In the Shaft.

### AT THE TOWN OF CLAY, KY.

Ten of the Dead Are White Men, And One Foreman Among The Victims.

Clay, Ky., Aug. 6.—Thirty-one are known to be dead, fifteen are missing and are almost certainly dead; nineteen are injured and seventy-one have been rescued unhurt as a result of the explosion in mine No. 7 of the West Kentucky Coal Company here Saturday.

Of the dead ten are white. They have been identified as follows:

WILL BROWN.  
DEWEY BROWN.  
EDWARD BROWN.  
CLEVELAND BAILEY.  
ERWIN CONLEY.  
ARCH JACKSON.  
BEN PANGSTON.  
HENRY SACREE.  
C. P. WALLACE.  
L. D. WALLACE, brother of C. P. Wallace.

All the missing whose bodies are still in the mine are negroes. There is no hope that any of them will be rescued alive, though strenuous efforts are being made to bring them out, the gas having been cleared out of the mine.

Most of the injured have been taken to the hospitals in Evansville, and the dead are being buried as fast as arrangements can be made.

The explosions which resulted in the disaster occurred as the men were going to work, and they are believed to have been caused by a spark igniting the gas, causing the first explosion. Following this the gas and dust came in a roll down the entry, coming in contact with powder, causing the second explosion.

### A PATRIOTIC MOTHER

Chicago Woman Has Given Three Sons to Army and Navy.

Chicago.—This war is "God's laundry" Mrs. Mary J. Lamb, who has given three of her four sons to the army and navy, said in a letter which was before a local exemption board. "I ask for a special permit for my sixteen-year-old son who was in college and enlisted him in the marine corps on April 1," wrote Mrs. Lamb. "Another son is also in the marine corps and a third in the army."

"A fourth son's greatest sorrow is that he is too young, and only a quartermaster in the Seaton cadets of Notre Dame University."

"It makes me disgusted with womanhood to hear so many selfish mothers voice their terrors. No mother loves her family more than I do, but I look upon this war as God's